MISS LOS ANGELES SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Exhibit "B" Rules 2024 Scholarship Rules and Regulations for 'Teen'

Let it be known that a primary goal of the Miss America Program is to help young women further their education by providing them the in-kind and cash scholarships needed to move forward or continue in school. The primary intent of these educational scholarships is to help provide the financial means to achieve the highest possible level of education.

1. <u>Scholarships will be awarded to the titleholders and the 1st Runner-Up.</u>

Scholarships shall be expended towards college tuition and educational expenses by the Miss Los Angeles County Scholarship Program committee.

- 2. Requests for scholarships are made directly to the **Treasurer of the Miss Los Angeles County Scholarship Program, Coleen Rockey, at 4190 LaFayette Place, Culver City, California 90232; Telephone:** (310) 733-6671. Request for payment must be accompanied by a cover letter from the titleholder together with the statements and invoices from the educational institution. Payment will be made directly to the educational institution on behalf of the contestant upon approval by the Miss Los Angeles County Scholarship Program Committee.
- 3. <u>Teen Titleholder:</u> If a teen is awarded a title in our competition, she must use the scholarships won in the Miss Los Angeles County Scholarship Program prior to applying for any state scholarships from the Miss California Organization before applying for state scholarships.
- 4. Scholarships should be used for current or future educational expenses. <u>Teen Titleholders and 1st Runner</u> should submit invoices for payment directly from the provider of the educational service or may submit a receipted bill and request reimbursement.

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All invoices and receipts must be originals. Teen Titleholders and 1st Runner may not request payment or reimbursement for payments which are or have been covered through any other financial aid source.

- 5. Scholarships may be used for outstanding student loan obligations provided the loan is not in default and provided the student has satisfactorily completed the course work for which the loan was obtained (a copy of the Transcript must be included with your request). Teen Titleholders and 1st Runner must submit documentation from the school, or lender, which shows that the contestant is either the primary of the loan obligation (a copy of the Promissory Note must be included with your request). Teen Titleholders and 1st Runner must include a current invoice as well as a Transcript identifying course completion. Notice of payments due may be sent to the treasurer of the Miss Los Angeles County Scholarship Committee for payment. If the time required for processing the invoice extends beyond the due date, the titleholder may submit proof of payment with a cancelled check or copies of front and back and request reimbursement.
- 6. <u>Teen Scholarships</u> may be used for future educational expenses. <u>Scholarships</u> will be held on account for the titleholder within the time period specified. <u>Teen Titleholders and 1st Runner</u> will have up to two (2) years after graduating high school to apply for the scholarship. If <u>Teen Titleholders and 1st Runner</u> has not used her scholarship during said calendar years, the funds in her account will be forfeited after the two-year period after graduation.

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An exception to the time limits described above may be made if the <u>Teen Titleholders</u> earns title of Miss California's Teen at which time one (1) year is added to the term, making a total of three (3) years to collect the scholarship. If this is applicable, after the three (3) year term titleholder does not apply for her scholarship, said scholarship is forfeited.

7.	Scholarships forfeited will remain in the Miss Los Angeles County Scholarship Program Scholarship Account for future awards.
8.	The above scholarship rules and regulations have been read, understood, and agreed this day of,
	Print Name of Contestant
	Signature of Contestant
	Print Name of Parent/Guardian if Contestant is under age 18
	Signature of Parent/Guardian
	Date